Improper Lockups for lodging Criminals in Delhi

1076. SHRI IQBAL SINGH:
SHRI SURESH PACHOURI:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that a number of Police Stations in the National Capital do not have proper lockups for lodging criminals temporarily;

(b) if so, what are the details thereof; and

(c) what remedial action Government propose to take in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI P.M. SYED): (a) Yes Sir.

(b) The Delhi Police has reported that out of 105 Police Stations in Delhi, 44 Police Stations have no proper lockups as these are functioning either in rented or in temporary structures. The arrested persons are lodged in adjoining police station where proper lock-up is available.

(c) In respect of 27 Police Stations, land has already been allotted for setting up permanent Police Stations with proper lock-ups. The Delhi Police is in touch with land owning agencies for allotment of land in respect of the 17 remaining police stations.

Kidnapping of Govt. Officials by Naxalities

1077. SHRI IQBAL SINGH:
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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Naxalities are resorating to kidnapping Government officials and political leaders in various parts of the country to get their activities released from jails

(b) if so, what are the details thereof; and

(c) what remedial action Government propose to take in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI RAJESH PILOT): (a) and (b) Information is being obtained and will be laid on the Table of the House.

(c) 'Public Order' and 'Police' being the State subjects, it is for the concerned State Governments to devise various methods and take concrete steps to improve law and order situation. At the Central Government level action is taken to fcilitate coordination of the anti-terrorist operations of different States and to improve flow of information useful for control of naxalite to activities among the States. Further assistance is being provided to the State Governments in terms of financial assistance for modernisation of police, supply of improved weapons, deployment of para-military forces etc.,

Involvement of domestic servants in robberies in Delhi

1078. SHRI IQBAL SINGH: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) in how many cases reported in the national capital during the year 1992 domestic servants were involved in robbing their employers with details thereof;

(b) how many of such cases were detected and solved by Delhi police;

(c) whether it is a fact that in the recent past Delhi police had launched a campaign of checking the antecedents of domestic servants in the capital;

(d) if so, what were the results of that campaign; —

(e) whether Government propose to make it compulsory for the citizens in the capital to get the antecedents of their domestic servants get verified prior to their appointments to stop domestic servant related crimes; and

(f) if not, the reaons therefor?

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